June 9, 2003 Joe Weeder Itsa County 159 S Main Sometown, ID 83999 Brenda Waters Idaho State Department of Agriculture Noxious Weed Program Coordinator PO Box 7249 Boise, ID 83707 Dear Brenda. Due to unexpected flooding in the project area we are unable to treat the Fortune creek area this year with the \$500 that were allocated in the AOP. We recently detected a new infestation of yellow starthistle which is less than 1/4<sup>th</sup> of an acre in size and the only known location in the Really Busy Cooperative Weed Management Area. We are requesting to utilize the unused funds to spray the new infestation with herbicide XYZ and then plant the area with a mixture of grasses in the fall. Thank you for considering our request. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. Sincerely, Joe Weeder Chairman, Really Busy Cooperative Weed Management Area Address and Contact Information \*\*NOTE: A minimum of 50% Inkind and Matching Funds must be maintained for any request to be approved. For ISDA Use Only